

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2712

C O N F I D E N T I A L JIDDA 5214

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (AMBASSADOR ATHERTON)  
SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR ATHERTON'S MIDDLE EAST CONSULTATIONS:  
ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

1. ASSUMING THAT ATHERTON VISIT WILL BE IN TAIF, RATHER THAN JIDDA, EMBASSY NEEDS TO KNOW ADMINISTRATIVE AND LOGISTIC REQUIREMENTS FOR SUPPORT OF VISIT. IT MUST BE BORNE IN MIND THAT TAIF IS 2 1/2 HOURS BY CAR FROM JIDDA. THERE ARE NO COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES OTHER THAN TELEPHONES UNLESS ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE IN ADVANCE THROUGH OC IN DEPARTMENT.
2. WILL MSG'S BE NEEDED TO GUARD CLASSIFIED MATERIAL?  
IF SO, WE WILL HAVE TO MAKE SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS IN ADVANCE.  
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